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In re application of: Robert Zhong LU et al.

Serial No.: CPA of 09/265788

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Examiner: Garret, D.

For: AQUEOUS CLEANING AND DISINFECTING COMPOSITIONS BASED ON  
QUATERNARY AMMONIUM COMPOUNDS INCLUDING ALKYL POLYGLYCOSIDE  
SURFACTANTS HAVING REDUCED IRRITATION CHARACTERISTICS

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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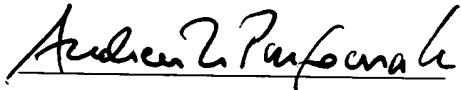
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Respectfully Submitted:

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